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# Something Being Done.

Good for the Farmers' Union, After talking and deliberating for about a year the Farmers' Union of Anderson county has now begun to do things

The Farmers' Union has now arranged with the Farmers' Warehouse Company to store cotton there at the rate of 15 cents per bale per month and draw 6 cents per pound on cotton at the rate of 7 per cent interest. Now there is absolutely no excuse for any farmer in reach of this warehouse to sell another bale of cotton for less than 11 cents.

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The Farmers' Union had two objects in making this arrangement. One was to keep from overleading the market, and the other was to enable Union men to carry out their pledge not to sell for less than 11 cents.

We put all Union men on notice that they are not only building up an organization of farmers to consist of numbers alone, but, that you are at it, every day building a reputation—sither good or bad—for the Union.

Your merchants, bankers and other creditors have stood by you nobiy in your fight for profitable prices for cotton last season, and for this splendid support you should now be loyal to them and place your cotton in our warehouses and pay your bills promptiy like men.

If you fail to set the gentleman with these your friends that have been prominent factors in enabling you to win the fight for profitable prices for your products, do be kind enough to the rest of the Union men not to mention the fact that you belong to the Farmers' Union until you can become to be a credit to both yourself and the Farmers' Union.

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Remember, that the world respects every man according to the standard that each and every man makes for himself. And that every man makes for himself. And that every man makes his own reputation, and that no man has a right to blame others for not respecting him, when this same man does not respect himself. If you don't like the name 'old hay seed,' or 'clock hopper,' clean yourself up a little when you go away from himself. It matters not whether mour shirt in patched or not, if it and when feed over with some of those little suspicious looking things that is suggestive of hayseed or something else. When you go to town hold your head up and atep about just like you belonged to a class of men that owned the greater part of the earth, and that you nold in your hands—if well organized—the most important position and powerful influence upon the face of earth, and no one will dare dispute your claim.

Gregory, young white men, have been arrested on the charge of burning the residence and barts of Ben Leonard, colored, in Laurens County.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sherubel, directors of plane and vocal departments at Limestone Cellege, Gaffney, have resigned to accept positions at Washburn College, Topeka, Kansas.

—The old Methodint female college building in Columbia has been sought by F. H. Hyatt for \$30,000.

It will turn the building into a sanitarium or an apartment house. The solution of the promoter of the cotton mill for Cheraw, S. U., is looking over sites for the mill. It is said that sufficient capital has been subscribed to build the mill at once.

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# STATE NEWS.

- The dispensary election in Dar-lington will be held on October the 10th.

-There is good profit being made in monaxite mining in parts of Greenville County.

- The taxable values in Greenville County were increased by nearly a million by a revision of the books,

— A tract of 304 acres of Monazite lands in Greenville County has been sold to an Ohio firm for about \$13,-- Mrs. J. W. Daniel, wife of the pastor of the Washington Street Methodist Church, in Columbia, is

-The sons of the Revolution in Charleston have erected a tablet on the historic spot where the liberty

tree stood. - A fine horse for which he had refused \$180 belonging to W. N. Garner at Union, ran away in that city and broke his neck.

- The increase in valuation of taxable property for Ocones this year over last, personal and buildings, amounts to \$133,430.

The entire board of health of Greenwood has resigned because the city council would persist in over-ruling their recommendations.

— A carload of matches in the Southern freight yards in Greenville gave the firemen a hard fight for two hours. The less is about \$1,500.

- John Burnsides and Dink Campbell, two negro boys, have been committed to jail in Laurens for wrecking a train on the Charleston and Wes-tern Carolina railroad.

- The petition for a dispensary election in Chesterfield was refused, the supervisor claiming that sufficient signatures had not been secured. The prohibitionists dispute this.

- George Barton and Arthur Gregory, young white men, have been arrested on the charge of burning the residence and barns of Ben Leonard,

— Frank J. Kirkham, a young line-man of the Southern Bell Telephone Company, was killed in Florence by his body coming in contact with a live electric wire and falling from a pole to the ground, a distance of thirty-five feet. He died in a few minutes.

The executive committee of the board of directors of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary, which met in Columbia, recommend Dr. Theron H. Rice, of Atlanta, or the presidency. This recommend for will be acted on by the full board at their meeting October 10th.

Hand Board at the Presbyterian The Rand Powder mills, near Uniantown, Pa., were wiped away by an explosion September 9th, in which twenty men were blown to bits. There were seven separate explosions and the shock was felt twenty miles away.

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— John Henderson and Tom Vaughan were arrested in Columbia, charged with beating J. D. Hawkins, who was found unconscious and severally injuried at Calhoun station a few days ago. They will be brought to Greenville and given a preliminary hearing by Magistrate Stradley.

— Warran Serugge, Jr., fifteen years of age, fell from the inside of the State Capitol dome in Columbia to the marble door below and was instantly killed. His body was terribly mangled. He was stempting to climb the steep ladders when he lost his hold and fell to his d-ath.

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# GENERAL ZEWS.

— Policeman Kilpatrick, of Atlanta force, found a \$75.00 pearl in an oyster, one day last week.

- David E. Sherrick, auditor of Indiana, has been found to be \$145,000 short. He has resigned.

Twelve persons were killed by a car plunging from the track of the elevated railway in New York. -Two youngsters' aged six and seven, robbed a National Bank in Ohio, of \$7000 one day last week.

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— The Farmer's National Congress, in session at Richmond, Va., has passed a resolution calling upon President Roosevelt to recommend federal aid in the building of roads.

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fever prevails in Nantihoke, a suburb of Wilkesbarre, Pa., that the schools have been closed and the schoolhouses turned into hospitals. There are more than a hundred cases.

- Mayor Patrick Collins, the popular democratic mayor of Boston, former congressmen, and chairman of the democratic national convention which nominated President Cleveland in 1889, died suddenly at Hot Springs.

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— State Senator Henry Dunkers, of California, now serving a term in prist a for bribery during the last sension of the legislature, has made a full confession, giving the names of 12 other senators who received bribes, together senators who received bribes, together with the amounts and the names of the bribers.

— A century ago France had 26 per cent of the population of Europe; now it has only 11 per cent. At one time French was spoken all over the world. Today it is the language of 45,000,000,000 people; while German is spoken by 100,000,000 and English by nearly 150,000,000.

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# Murder and Lynching in Abbeville County.

Honea Path, Sept. 17.—About three miles below here in Abbeville County this after oon just before sunset Sam and Jim Moore, two white men, got into a difficulty with Allen Pendleton and another negro. A fight followed in which Jim Moore was cut and killed by Pendleton.

Pendleton escaped and was captured by a crowd about half a mile below here. He was carried back to the scene of the killing and shot by about a dozen men.

-Two youngsters' aged six and seven, robbed a National Bank in Ohio, of \$7000 one day last week.

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Mesers. C. E. Harper, John F. Mon-roe and Magistrate Ashley arrived on the scene and tried to provent the lynching. The negro was kept till 10.25 o'clock before he was lynched. Most of the parties engaged in the lynching were recognized by a considerable number who were present and not engaged in the affair.

The crowd was dispersed and though the negroes are greatly excited no further trouble is feared.—Special to The State.

Jim Moore and his conein, McDonald, a mere boy, were driving and locked wheels with Pendleton. This caused words and Pendleton sprang from his buggy and stabbed Moore, who had already alighted from his buggy, four times with a large knife. One thrust passed through the jugular vein and came out back of the neck, Moore dying instantly.

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— "Bud" Rogan, the Tonnessee negro giant, is dead at his home in Gallatin. Dogan was 8 feet 9 inches tall. His hands were 12 inches in length and feet 161 inches.

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and 326 deaths. There are under treatment now 308 cases and 1,565 patients have been discharged.

— Three members of a religious seet known as "Burning Bush" have been put in jail at High Point, N. C., on account of their persistency in noisy and disorderly modes of worship.

— Last Thursday at Indianda, Iowa, four men were killed, six seriously burned and a dozen more stunned by lightning which wrecked a crowded poultry exhibition tent at the county fair.

— It is announced that Alton B. Parker, late democratic candidate for the presidency, has been made chief counsel of the Brocklyn Rapid Transit company at an annual salary of \$100,000.

— An earthquake in Italy Friday.

Dr. Pape testified at the inquest

could not be obtained. A few young white men improvised a sled, put the body of Pendleton on it and dragged it to the grave in the woods, where a few planks were placed over the negro's body and it was covered up.

The sentiment of the people of Honea Path was against the lynching and it was severely condemned. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that Pendleton came to his death at the hands of parties unknown to the jury.

—Special to News and Courier,

# Hawkins Says Two Men Tried to Murder

Sheriff Gilreath had a long conference with J. D. Hawkins at his home at Brandon mills yesterday afternoon and the injured man, who was found unconscious near the railway track at Calhoun, told the sheriff that Henderson and Vaughn, the mill operatives being held in Columbia, traveled on a freight train with him to Calhoun. There, he says, the men assaulted him and after almost beating him to death dragged his body across the track with the idea that the next train coming along would finish their fiendish work. He managed to crawl off the track, however, and thus saved his life.

Hawkins was brought back from Calhoun Friday afternoon and yesterday he had sufficiently recovered his strength to tell the sheriff a well connected story of the affair. It remains to be seen whether the man is telling the truth or not. Relatives of the men say that the story is a myth, and circumstances will be called in when the case gets into the courts to lead the jurors to a proper verdict.

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In view of what Hawkins says the crime is properly for Pickens county, and the authorities here will soon take steps to have the men in Columbia placed in the keeping of Sheriff Jennings of Pickens.—Greenville News, 17th inst.

# Daughters of the Confederacy.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet in San Francisco. Cal., Oct. 3rd to 7th. The Southern Railway has been selected as the official route to the meeting, and for the accommodation of the South Carolina delegation a through special Pullman sleeping car will leave Charleston 3:20 a. m., September 25th, and will pass Columbia 7:10 a. m.; Spartanburg, 10:25 a. m.; arriving St. Leuis the fellowing afternoon 6 o'clock, Car will go through to San Francisco if sufficient number take berths. Only a few vacant places. This will be a splendid opportunity to go to San Francisco and the exposition at Portland with a select party. Write R. W. Hunt, D. P. A., Charleston, for full information. Very low round trip rates have been named for this meeting.

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